

1835.

No. 15.

**Passed Feb. 11, 1836** Resolution relative to appointing Commissioners to have a survey made, and estimate the cost of a Rail Road, et cetera.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Governor and Council, be, and they are hereby are authorised and required to appoint one commissioner from each of the counties of the Eastern Shore of this State, who or any two of them, shall be authorised to employ an Engineer, and to make a recognisance and survey, and to estimate the cost of a rail road from some point or points in Cecil county, in connection with one or more of the improvements in said county, and thence extending by a line, as straight as may be, nearly contiguous to, and parallel with the Western limits of the State of Delaware, to the Southern extremity of Somerset county, with a divergent route through Worcester county, to the Northern line of the State of Virginia, including in such estimate the lands and rights of way, with the necessary buildings, vehicles and all appurtenances, as authorised at the present session of the General Assembly; and the Executive are hereby authorised to adjust and allow for said recognisance and survey, such compensation and expenses as may seem reasonable, and to draw therefor on the Treasurer of the Western Shore.*

No. 16.

**Passed January 20** Resolution in favor of Ellen Schmuck and Catharine Schmuck.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That His Excellency, the Governor, be requested to ascertain the value of the sword, which was directed to be presented to captain Jacob Schmuck, late of the United States Army, under a resolution of the last General Assembly of Maryland, number ninety-eight, and to draw on the Treasurer of the Western Shore for the amount thereof, and present the same to Ellen*